



The Delaware Commission for Women
is seeking **remarkable women** for induction into the
2012 Hall of Fame of Delaware Women

31st Annual
Hall of Fame
of Delaware
Women

**NOMINATION
FORM**

Volunteers
Humanitarians
Professionals
Homemakers
Advocates
Role models
Heroines

Only nominations
received on or before

Friday,
Dec. 2, 2011

will be considered.

PURPOSE :

The Hall of Fame of Delaware Women was established to recognize the lasting contributions and achievements of Delaware women. Nominees can be individuals who have worked on a neighborhood, community, city, state, national or international level and their contributions can stem from work as a professional or volunteer in any field.

ELIGIBILITY:

- ♦ Nominees must have made a significant impact upon the lives of others.
- ♦ Their contributions to society or to women's history should have lasting significance.
- ♦ Distinguished selfless achievements also may be the basis for recognition.
- ♦ Nominees must be native-born Delawareans or have resided in the state for at least ten years. If the nominee is deceased, the same requirements apply; add date of death after date of birth on the form below.

THE PROCESS :

Inductees are selected by a committee of non-commission Delawareans appointed by the Chair of the Delaware Commission for Women. All nominators and selected nominees will be notified in writing. **Nominators are responsible for verifying the accuracy of the information submitted about the nominee.** Please do not write by hand.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Full Name:

Home Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Work Phone:

Home Phone:

E-mail:

Cell Phone:

Birth Date:

Birth Place:

Name of Nearest Living Relative:

Relative's Relationship to Nominee:

Relative's Address:

Phone/ Cell/ E-mail/ Web:

NOMINATOR INFORMATION:

Nominator:

Relationship to Nominee:

Organization (If applicable):

Address:

Work Phone:

Home Phone:

Cell /Phone /E-mail:

HALL OF FAME OF DELAWARE WOMEN

1981 - 2011 Members

ABC

Roxana Cannon Arsht (1915-2003)
Martha G. Bachman (1924-1998)
Myrna L. Bair
Helen S. Balick
Sister Ascension Banegas
Joy Ann Bartell
Elizabeth Empson Battell (d)
Grace Ruth Batten
Renee Palmore Beaman
Grace Pierce Beck (1926-2008)
Sujata Kumari Bhatia
Neda P. Biggs
Emily P. Bissell (1861-1948)
Patricia A. Blevins
Cynthia M. Boehmer
Julie K. Boozer
M. Jane Brady
Madaline Elliot Buchanan (1908-1995)
Carolyn S. Burger
Evelyn P. Burkle
Marguerite Hill Burnett (1885-1966)
Eleanor L. Cain
Annie Jump Cannon (1863-1941)
Claire La Mar Carey
Mary Ann Shadd Cary (1823-1893)
Mae Riedy Carter
Sister Jeanne Cashman
Imogene F. Chandler
Linda L. Chick
Uma Chowdhry
Alice Marie Smith Coleman
Louise T. Conner (1918-1983)
Nancy W. Cook

DE

Pearl Herlihy Daniels (1910-1994)
Hilda Davis (1905-2001)
Vera Gilbride Davis (1894-1974)
Anna Janney De Armond (1910-2008)
Susan C. Del Pesco
Theresa L.I. del Tufo
Lozelle Jenkins DeLuz

Audrey K. Doberstein
Felicia A. Dorman
Pauline Dyson (1891-1970)
Jeanette Eckman (1882-1972)
Katherine L. Esterly

FGH

Esther Schauer Frear (1909-2000)
Sherry L. Freebery
Lynne S. Frink (1946-1998)
Sister Ann Marguerite Gildea (1919-2005)
Muriel E. Gilman (1923-2011)
Sallie Topkis Ginns (1880-1976)
Genevieve W. Gore (1913-2005)
Patricia W. Griffin
Teresa Haman
Norma B. Handloff (1913-2002)
Margaret I. Handy (1889-1977)
Marian Harris
Kathryn Young Hazeur (1923-2011)
Sally V. Hawkins
Margaret Rose Henry
Barbara Chase Herr
Florence Bayard Hilles (1865-1954)
Carol E. Hoffecker
Gloria Wernicki Homer

IJKL

Henrietta R. Johnson (1914-1994)
Moonyeen L. Klopfenstein
Sally J. Knox (1925-1995)
Lucile Petry Leone (1902-1999)
Ruth Mitchell Laws (1912-2010)
Gertrude M. Lowell (1901-1994)
Lolita A. Lopez

MN

Margaret R. Manning
Jane P. Maroney
Mary Askew Mather (1861-1925)
Christine Margaret McDermott (1947-07)
Ruth Ann Minner
Jane E. Mitchell (1921-2004)
Jane T. Mitchell
Emily G. Morris (1934-2001)

Elizabeth Neal
Edith Jackson Newton (1905-1996)
Jeanne D. Nutter

OPQR

Ruth Oates-Graham
Renee G. O'Leary
Karen E. Peterson
Jacquelin Pitts
Betsy Rawls
Mabel L. Fisher Ridgely (1872-1962)
Winifred J. Robinson (1868-1962)
Elizabeth H. Ryan

S

Nancy Churchman Sawin (1919-2008)
Beatrice "Bea" Simonds (1914-2006)
Harriet N. Smith Windsor
Ada Leigh Soles (1937-2010)
Liane McDowell Sorenson
Cecile Long Steele (1900-1940)
Beverly Louise Stewart
Mary Ann Sorden Stuart (1828-1893)
Evelyn Dickenson Swensson

TUV

Shirley M. Tarrant (1935-2003)
Frances D. Swift Tatnall (1874-1966)
Mary Jornlin Theisen (1927-2007)
Helen R. Thomas
Carol A. Timmons
Judith Gedney Tobin
Mae D.H. Vandamm
Mabel Vernon (1884-1975)
Edith P. Vincent

WXYZ

Loretta F. Walsh
Mary Sam Ward (1911-2000)
Emalea Pusey Warner (1853-1948)
Valerie Whiting
H. Ruth Williams (1915-1999)
Lynn W. Williams
Valerie A. Woodruff
Mary Ann Wright (1920-2006)
Pauline A. Young (1900-1991)

The Office of the Commission for Women is an agency of the State of Delaware. The Commission for Women is a governor appointed body with representation from all three counties and the City of Wilmington. The issue priorities are: Women's Health, Civil Rights, Economic Empowerment, Recognition & Celebration, Violence Prevention and Work & Family.

2012 NOMINEE NAME: _____

Nominee's Major Field of Endeavor: _____

(examples: Education, Medicine, Community Service, Culture, Health Care, Advocacy, Social Work...etc.)

Please describe the nominee's accomplishments as listed below.

Note: Please respect the following instructions; exceptions will not be considered. Use this form and do not alter it. This form must be type written. Do not attach additional information or articles as a substitute or in addition to using this form. Please be as specific as possible. **You must verify that your data is accurate.** Please return the completed form to the Delaware Commission for Women, by mail, fax or e-mail to the address shown on the bottom of the next page. Limit answers to each question to no more than 200 words. Download form at: www.commissionforwomen.delaware.gov. The deadline to submit is Friday, December 2, 2011. Thank you for your nomination, and good luck to your nominee!

PIONEER

1. In what way did the nominee serve as a pioneer (first) in her field? What obstacles did she have to overcome?

REPUTATION AMONG COLLEAGUES

2. Provide information and examples that illustrate the nominee's positive reputation among her peers, colleagues and/or co-workers. Please state her most important attributes first.

LEADERSHIP ROLE

3. List and describe the achievements of the nominee that demonstrate her role as a leader, role model and/or advocate. Please list her most significant leadership or advocate role(s) first.

2012 NOMINEE NAME: _____

COMMUNITY SERVICE

4. Provide information that describes the nominee's service to her residential and/or professional community. Please state her most significant contributions first.

LASTING IMPACT

5. Describe how the work of the nominee has made a difference and will continue to impact her community and/or her profession (field of endeavor).

ACHIEVEMENTS / AWARDS

6. List and describe in brief the most important achievements of the nominee that demonstrate her role as a leader, role model and/or advocate. Give full and correct title of and the year in which any awards were bestowed as well as the name of the organization or entity bestowing the award.

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